

# FISCAL NOTE

**STATE OF ALASKA**  
**2006 LEGISLATIVE SESSION**

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 Bill Version: CSHCR 30(RES)  
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Revision Date/Time (Note if correction): \_\_\_\_\_ Dept. Affected: Natural Resources  
 Title AK Climate Impact Assessment Commission RDU Resource Development  
 Component Geological Development  
 Sponsor Reps. Joule, Berkowitz, Kerttula, Samuels, Ramras  
 Requester House Finance Component No. 1031

**Expenditures/Revenues** (Thousands of Dollars)

Note: Amounts do not include inflation unless otherwise noted below.

OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FY 2007	FY 2008	FY 2009	FY 2010	FY 2011	FY 2012
Personal Services						
Travel						
Contractual						
Supplies						
Equipment						
Land & Structures						
Grants & Claims						
Miscellaneous						
<b>TOTAL OPERATING</b>	<b>*** INDETERMINATE***</b>					

<b>CAPITAL EXPENDITURES</b>						
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<b>CHANGE IN REVENUES ( )</b>						
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**FUND SOURCE** (Thousands of Dollars)

1002 Federal Receipts						
1003 GF Match						
1004 GF						
1005 GF/Program Receipts						
1037 GF/Mental Health						
Other (Specify Type--Do not abbreviate)						
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>*** INDETERMINATE***</b>					

Estimate of any current year (FY2006) cost: 0.0

Check this box (X) if funding for this bill is included in the Governor's FY 2007 budget proposal: ☐

**POSITIONS**

Full-time						
Part-time						
Temporary						

**ANALYSIS:** (Attach a separate page if necessary)

HCR30CS(RES) would create the Alaska Climate Impact Assessment Commission composed of 15 members including one member from the Department of Natural Resources. The Commission's tasks include: assessing the current and potential effects of climate warming trends on state citizens and natural resources including any adverse impacts to natural resource development; identifying specific circumstances of flooding and erosion that affect life, property, and economic and resource development in the state; examining the feasibility of alternatives to prevent and mitigate the effects of flooding and erosion; investigating and assessing issues involving permafrost and damage caused by permafrost; and recommending land use regulations, including area standards for designation of land prone to flooding and erosion.

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### ANALYSIS CONTINUATION

\*\*\* The fiscal impact of this resolution is **indeterminate** at this time. Properly identifying specific circumstances of flooding, erosion, and changes to the permafrost due to climate changes could take some in-depth research on existing data and possibly field work and site visits. This work could also entail the purchase of remote sensing data and analysis of such data depending on the depth of the Commission's intended assessment and recommendations. Alternatively, the Commission could merely make recommendations to the Legislature for future research and assessment needs in which case the fiscal note could be -0-.